

It's Our Climate: A Science-based Forum

Friday April 21, 2017 – 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Evans Library – Florida Institute of Technology

Leading scientists will discuss the science of climate change and issues in Antarctica, tropical coral reefs, the Amazon, and the Space Coast.

An interactive panel follows on factors affecting climate, economics, communicating climate science & opportunities for a sustainable future.

Free and open to the public. Refreshments provided.

Program

6:30: Dr. Gordon Patterson

Earth Day 2017 - The Road Less Traveled: Humans, Environment and History

6:40: Dr. Steven Lazarus

Greenhouse Hues and Climate Clues: The Dance of Climate and Carbon - Why the Greenhouse Isn't Always Green

6:55: Dr. Richard Aronson

Climate Change and the Provident Earth

7:10: Dr. Ken Lindeman

Local Climate Resources and the March for Science

7:15-8:00: Open panel

Dr. R. Aronson, Dr. H. Edwards, Zach Eichholz, Dr. S. Lazarus, Dr. M. Slotkin

Moderators: Dr. M. Baarmand and Dr. G. Patterson

For more information about the forum & other F.I.T. Earth Week events:

www.fit.edu/sustainability

"We stand now where two roads diverge. But unlike the roads in Robert Frost's familiar poem, they are not equally fair. The road we have long been traveling is deceptively easy, a smooth superhighway on which we progress with great speed, but at its end lies disaster. The other fork of the road — the one less traveled by — offers our last, our only chance to reach a destination that assures the preservation of the earth."

— Rachel Carson, *Silent Spring*

